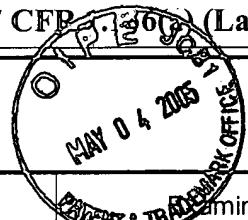


COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(b) (Large Entity)

Docket No.  
112701-467

In Re Application Of: Vidal et al.



Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/676,358	October 2, 2003	Kam, Chih Min	29157	1653	8288

Invention: OSTEOPROTEGERIN IN MILK

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of November 24, 2004 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month       Two months       Three months       Four months       Five months

from: February 24, 2005      *Date*      until: May 24, 2005      *Date*

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
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INDEP. CLAIMS	3 -	3 =	0	x \$200.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$1,020.00
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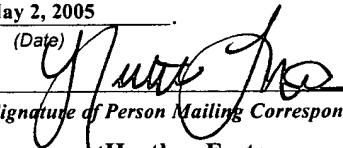
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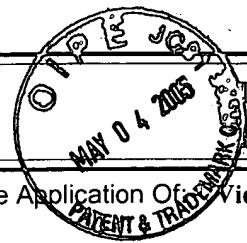
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Transmitted herewith is:

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